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Lisbon, June 22.

GReat preparations are making here for the reception of the Duke of *Savoy*, who is expected about the latter end of the next Month, or the beginning of *September*; and the Marquis *de Gouvea*, Grand Master of the Houshold, is preparing a very rich Brigantine, being appointed by the Prince Regent to go on Board the Duke of *Savoy*, so soon as he arrives, to perform the first Compliments to His Highness. Very strict Orders have been sent to the Frontiers, to prevent all Commerce and Communication with several places in *Spain*, which it's said are infected with the Plague. *Madrid, July* 2. The Gallions are expected at *Cadiz* towards the latter end of this Month; and it's said that upon their arrival a great supply will be sent to the Governor of *Flanders* for the service of those Countries. The second Instant arrived here an Express from *Vienna*, with the News of the Birth of a second Son to the Emperor, which was received at this Court with great joy. The Marquis *de Liche*, Ambassador from this Crown at *Rome*, has Orders to remain there three years longer.

Turin, July 3. This Cour is very much afflicted at the continuance of the Dukes illness, which however we hope will not last long. The Duke of *Cadaval*, who continues here *incognito*, has sent an Express to *Lisbon*, to give an account of his Highnesses condition; and in the mean time all things are preparing for his Highnesses departure so soon as his health will permit.

Vienna, July 9. Yesterday their Imperial Majesties, and the Duke and Dutchess of *Newburg* returned hither from *Luxemburg*. The Troops designed for *Hungary* are upon their March, and General *Caprara*, who is to Command all the Emperor's Forces on that side, will part hence in few days. It is reported that the Emperor is going to raise several Regiments more, and that the Commissions will very suddenly be given out. From *Hungary* they write, That Count *Teckeley*, since his Marriage with the Princess *Ragotzki*, has put a very strong Garison into *Mongaz*, and that he intends to do the like with other places that now belong to him in right of his Wife. The Baron *de Kirckbaum*, Commissary General, parted from hence two days since for *Germany*, where he is to erect several Magazines.

Hamburg July 17. The King of *Denmark* will have 14 or 15000 Men in *Holstein* and *Oldenburg*, which are to be Commanded by a French General; and we are told, that a general Review will be held of these Troops, about the middle of the next Month, and that the King of *Denmark* will be present at it. Our last Letters from *Mosko*, left things there in great confusion and disorder.

Cologne, July 17. The French have quitted the Castle of *Sleyden* in the Country of *Eyfelt*, and the Troops they had there are marched towards *Alsace*. From *Strasburg* they write, That Orders were come from *Paris* to hasten the March of the French Troops designed for *Italy*.

Francfort, July 19. The States of *Franconia* are assembled at *Wurtsburg*, where Count *Waldeck* at present is, to view the Troops of that Circle. We are told that there will be three Armies formed for the defence of the Empire; one to be commanded by the Elector of *Bavaria*; another by the Duke of *Hanouer*, consisting of 12000 Men of the Circle of the *Lower Saxony*, and 10000 of his own; and the third, which is to be composed of the Emperor's Troops, and those of the Circles of *Franconia*, and of the *Upper Rhine*, is to be Commanded by Count *Waldeck*, as General of the Empire. From *Ratisbonne* they write, That Monsieur *Verjus*, the French Minister, did very much press for an Answer to his Memorial, and, that he seemed very much dissatisfied that he was so long without it. And from *Vienna* they tell us, that the Troops ordered for *Hungary* were on their March; that their General, Count *Caprara*, would soon follow, and that there was a talk of more new Levies to be made both of Horse and Foot.

Brussels, July 22. His Excellency the Marquis *de Grana* is expected back here from *Flanders* on Saturday next; and on the Monday or Tuesday following the States of *Brabant* will assemble again to finish the matter of the extraordinary Subsidy which they are to give for the Year ensuing. The Letters we received by the last Post from *Germany* gave an account, That the French Minister at *Ratisbonne* did very much press the Colledge of the Princes to take a Resolution upon his late Memorial, as the Electoral Colledge had already done; but that the Deputy of *Austria*, who is Director of the said Colledge of Princes, did oppose the same.

Hague, July 21. To morrow the States of *Holland* meet again, and it's said the Prince of *Orange* will come to Town to be present in their Assembly. We are told that the Sieur *Dieſt*, the *Brandenburg* Minister, will on Thursday next receive an Answer to the Memorial he lately presented to the States. Yesterday the Swedish and Danish Ministers here had a long Conference together.

Hague, July 24. The Emperor has desired of the States, That Count *Waldeck*, notwithstanding his being General of the Empire, may continue in his Commands in their Service. From *Vienna* they write, That Count *Teckeley* and the Prince of *Transilvania* were going to take the Field.

Marseiles, July 14. The French Galleys designed for *Argiers* have been detained by the Weather at *Bocca*, a Port about seven Leagues to the Westward of this place, till within these four days, when they Sailed to the Rendevous at *Port-Mahon*, where Monsieur *du Quesne* is believed to be by this time with five or six Men of War from *Thoulon*, and that Monsieur *Chasteau-Renault* has joyned him with 10 or 11 Ships more; so that we are expecting to hear very suddenly of some great action on the Coast of *Argier*.

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